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Application No. : 10/642,683

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For : SKIN CONDITION OBSERVATION APPARATUS

Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.312
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Group Art Unit : 3735

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.312** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due dated May 23, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the herein-contained amendment under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.